

St. Frederic Catholic Church

St. Helens, Oregon



PARISH STAFF

Pastor

Rev. Fr. Nicolaus Marandu 503-397-0148

Bookkeeper

Phyllis Dahlin 503-397-0148

Parish Secretary/Website

Timari Prevish 503-397-0148

Hispanic Ministries

Rosa Gonzalez 909-223-0411

MINISTRIES

Children's Liturgy

Diana Larson 503-397-0418

Communion Visitors

Maureen Proffitt 503-366-9327

Funeral Arrangements

Sally Caniparoli 503-380-9085

Knights of Columbus

Richard Proffitt 503-366-9327

RCIA

Tom and Timari Prevish 503-397-3323

Religious Education

Diane Messenger 503-369-2904

Sacristan

Sally Caniparoli 503-380-9085

St Vincent de Paul

Julie Reilly 503-366-0787

Welcoming Committee

Esther Niece 503-397-0175

Women's Society

Shelley Minsent 503-396-0625

Youth Group

Sally Caniparoli 503-380-9085

COUNCILS

Finance Council

Tom McMahon 503-397-2791

Pastoral Council

Carmen McMahon 503-397-2791

Mission Statement

St. Frederic's, a Catholic Christian Community that works and prays together to deepen our love of God and to share that love by ministering to each other and the extended community in holiness and justice.

175 South 13th. Street, St. Helens, Oregon 97051

Phone 503-397-0148

stfred@comcast.net | www.stfredericchurch.org

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—Friday 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

April 23, 2017

2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

MASS SCHEDULES AND OTHER SERVICES

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass	5:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m.
English/Spanish Mass	10:00 a.m.
Spanish Mass	12:00 p.m.
	(2nd Sunday of the Month)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday—Friday 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m.
(or by appointment)
12:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

HOLY DAYS

ADORATION

Friday 9:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m.

HOLY HOUR

Wednesday 6:00 p.m.

ROSARY

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

MATRIMONY

By appointment, at least 6 months in advance. Call the office for an appointment.

BAPTISM

Call the office for an appointment

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

St Vincent de Paul Hotline 888-375-6074

Sick Calls 503-380-9085

BEQUESTS

I give, devise and bequeath the sum of \$_____ to the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon for the sole benefit of St. Frederic Catholic Church located at 175th S. 13th, St. Helens, Oregon to be used under the direction of the priest at the time of my death

MASS INTENTIONS (\$10.00)

April 25—April 30

Tuesday	4/25	8:30 a.m.	
Wednesday	4/26	8:30 a.m.	
Thursday	4/27	8:30 a.m.	Minnie Brown †
Friday	4/28	8:30 p.m.	
Saturday	4/29	5:00 p.m.	
Sunday	4/30	8:00 a.m.	
		10:00 a.m.	For the Parish

From July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 the weekly need is \$3,885. This does not include Religious Education, Youth Ministry personnel, which could account for \$16,000 or more, nor does it include the Capital Campaign.

<u>Weekly Need</u>	\$ 3,885.00
<u>Collection April 15/16</u>	\$ 3,706.81
	\$ -178.19
Maintenance	\$80.00

Attendance

Holy Thursday	7:00 p.m.	126
Good Friday	7:00 p.m.	86
Easter Vigil	8:30 p.m.	79
Easter	9:00 a.m.	165

Surprise Package for Christmas Bazaar

It's already time again. We need slightly used items for the Christmas Bazaar Surprise Package. These items should be something that you wouldn't mind receiving as a gift (slightly used or new items). Remember us when you do your spring cleaning. Items can be brought to the office during regular hours throughout the year. Thank you! We couldn't do it without you!



PRAYER REQUESTS

James Brown, Patricia Lightner, Barbra Cowlin, Pam Curnutt, Sandy Byers, Pauline Thompson, Chris Arnis, Bernard Offley, Debbie Medeiros, Leon Frappier, Ronald Schaumberg, Leo Carina, Bill Jauron, Marie Anderson, Joey Bates, Patty Lowe, Dick Wall, Lloyd Ebert, JoAnn Evans, Rodney Mann, Jim Fery, Craig Chabala, Marvel Brown, Martin Scheer Sr., Mike Bogdan, Nancy Picco, Marcy Wright, Mary Douthwaite, Virginia Kornegay, Dominique Earl, Geri Berg, Frank S. Austin Jr., Norma Schmidt, and Gail Norwood Young.

Religious Ed Classes

If public school is cancelled due to weather, Religious Ed will also be cancelled.

Pre-K through 6th grade after 10:00 a.m. Mass in Room 5.

First Communion practice and First Reconciliation is April 29 at 9:30 p.m.

First Communion is April 30 at 10:00 a.m. Mass

Sacramental Prep Reconciliation and First Communion classes will be on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

Youth Group is on Sunday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Center but will not meet on Easter.

RCIA

The RCIA year is coming to an end. There are just a few classes left. Parishioners are always welcome and highly encouraged come to topics that interest them. Join us in Room 5 at 7:00 p.m.

4/25—Reflection of Holy Week & Sacraments

5/2—Eucharist "Sacred Meal" & "Sacrifice"

5/9—Eucharist "Real Presence"

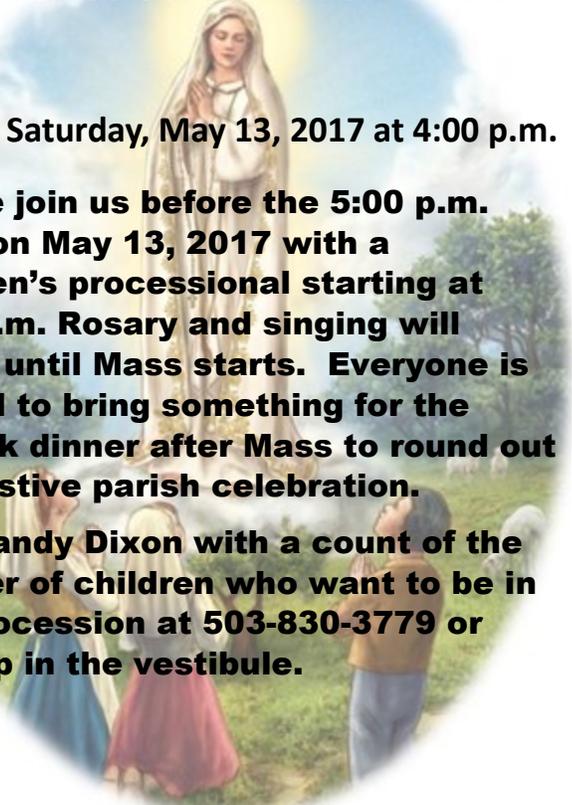
5/16—Peter and Paul, Missionaries

Our Lady of Fatima Centennial 100 Year Celebration at St. Frederic

When: Saturday, May 13, 2017 at 4:00 p.m.

Please join us before the 5:00 p.m. Mass on May 13, 2017 with a children's processional starting at 4:00 p.m. Rosary and singing will follow until Mass starts. Everyone is invited to bring something for the potluck dinner after Mass to round out this festive parish celebration.

Call Randy Dixon with a count of the number of children who want to be in the procession at 503-830-3779 or sign-up in the vestibule.



2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

Although Easter Sunday was a week ago, Easter is far from over. The Easter season or Eastertide is a 50-day period (counting Easter Sunday) from Easter to Pentecost Sunday (June 4 this year). Today is thus the Second Sunday of Easter. Eastertide means literally Easter time. "Tide" in Old and Middle English meant time, and it has maintained that meaning in some church terms we use (e.g. yuletide and Eastertide).

Pentecost comes at the end of our Easter season, and we often call it the "Birthday of the Church." There is a good reason for that. Our First Reading from the Acts of the Apostles relates life in the early Church. In fact, today's reading from Acts 2 follows immediately after the narrative on what occurred on Pentecost, which is found in Acts 2: 1-41. Acts, of course, follows the Four Gospels as the Fifth Book of the New Testament. It is clear that it is a continuation of the Gospel of Luke. Luke traveled with St. Paul and quite likely may have met many of the original Apostles. Thus, his narratives about Pentecost and the early Church are first hand in many ways.

There is much on which we might concentrate in this reading offering us a glance of the early Christians, but note in particular two things: their sense of joy and satisfaction along with the fact that their numbers kept growing. Both of these facts are demonstrated in this First Reading: "They ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved."

This is in effect a reflection of stewardship. Stewardship is a jubilant, God-centered, way of positive living. That is what the most effective evangelization is. People want to be a part of that, and they wish to experience that. If our parish community can capture that and maintain it, we, too, will grow both spiritually and in numbers.

The First Epistle of Peter (1 Peter) presents us our Second Reading, and it might be considered to be closely related to the First Reading. In today's scriptural passage, St. Peter offers us a perspective on what it means to be saved, and what it means to live as someone who is saved. (The First Reading closed with the phrase "those who were being saved.") For Peter, and this is the point for us, Peter refers to the followers of the Lord as people who experience a "new birth to a living hope."

The evangelical church is quite fond of using the term "born again" as if it is something that occurs once. As Catholics we are "born again" every day and especially when we receive the Eucharist. It is because of this hope that we practice stewardship, and because of this hope that our outlook should be bright, regardless what circumstances we may find or may face in our lives.

The Second Reading closed with these words, "...you rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls." The Easter season is especially a time we need to experience and feel that wonderful happiness.

The Gospel Reading from St. John is what gives us that phrase "Doubting Thomas," as St. Thomas the Apostle does not experience the real visit from the Lord, and expresses what seems to be a doubt. However, the real focus should be on that same sense of happiness found in the first two readings. "The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord." This is the same rejoicing to which Peter refers in the Second Reading and that described by Luke in the First Reading.

In spite of what is viewed as an expression of doubt. St. Thomas who is present when the Lord visits again, and even though Jesus invites him to place his hand in His wounds, there is no indication Thomas ever does it. He proclaims "My Lord and my God," and Jesus answers "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." That refers to us. We are blessed with these holy accounts of those who witnessed and proclaimed and found the happiness that comes from believing. We must take this Truth, embrace it, and live it out in our lives by sharing it. That, too, is Easter.

Catholic Steward

Please pay for those who have died

Especially for Jeannette E. (Gilbert) Fischer who died on Holy Thursday. Please keep Jeannette and her family in your prayers.

Thank You! Thank you! Thank You!

A warm and gracious THANK YOU to all who made Holy Week and Easter such a beautiful occasion at St. Frederic Parish. May the next 50 days of Easter be a time of grace and renewal for all of us.

Jesus lives in us and among us!!!

ALLELUIA!!!

CRS Rice Bowl

The Catholic Relief Services' 2017 Rice Bowl campaign has ended. Please bring your Rice Bowl container to the entrance of the Church bring the to the office.

Congratulations to Rose Marie Vinson

Rose was baptized and received into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK!

St. Helens Liquor Store

We would like to thank SH Liquor Store for placing an ad in our bulletin!

Pilgrimage to Fatima with Archbishop Sample

2017 marks the 100th anniversary of the Fatima apparitions. Archbishop Sample will lead a pilgrimage to Fatima to celebrate the occasion. See the attached flyer for the itinerary and more details. Please share this information in your bulletins and newsletters. A copy of the flyer can be found on the home page of the diocesan website: www.archdpx.org. This pilgrimage to Fatima and Santiago de Compostela will be September **14-23, 2017**. The cost is \$3,250 per person departing from Portland. All are invited to join the pilgrimage.

Please let Todd Cooper know if you have any questions: tcooper@archdpx.org or 503-233-8386

Are you Called to be a Monk?

Monastic Vocation Retreat at Mount Angel Abbey
April 28—30, 2017

Open to all men 18-45 years old; Free of charge
Contact Fr. Odo Recker, OSB at 503-845-3123
odorecker@mtangel.edu or visit the website:
www.mountangelabbey.org/vocations

Men's Silent Retreat

The Franciscan Missionary Sisters at Our Lady of Peace Retreat is hosting a Men's Silent Retreat.

May 5-7, 2017

Our Lady of Peace Retreat
3600 SW 170th Ave, Beaverton

Theme: "Growth in Prayer" with Father Brian Mullady, O.P.
Father adds new insights and reflections to his favorite theme.
Retreat begins with Friday dinner at 6:00 p.m. and concludes after Brunch on Sunday. The suggested donation is \$150.00.
To register, phone the Retreat house at 503-649-7127 or email sisters@olpretreat.org

Mater Dei Radio 2017 Spring Sharathon

Mater Dei Radio – KBVM 88.3 FM will broadcast its Spring Sharathon 2017 on May 1st through the 5th. Help them in "Building a Bridge of Mercy" by tuning in for a variety of special guests, inspiring conversion stories, special gifts, and an opportunity for you to support the region's only Catholic radio station. Find out more about Spring Sharathon 2017 at MaterDeiRadio.com or call 1-888-823-5286.

Women's Society Event

There will be a Women's Society bazaar workshop on **Tuesday, April 25th at 10:00 a.m.** in Buccini Hall. Karen Bates will be teaching a class on how to knit and crochet. Other experienced knitters and crochets will be on hand to help. Come have fun and learn a new skill! ALL are welcome.

82nd Annual Seminary Tea

At Portland Golf Club

Saturday, **May 3, 2017** from 3:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.
Tickets are \$35. For more information call 503-297-2994. The tea is a benefit for the education of seminarians preparing to serve in the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon.

Chili Feed and Raffle

Tickets for the Raffle and Chili Feed will be mailed this week. This year, we have added a large cash prize raffle and will sell for \$2 each. Merchandise raffle tickets are still \$1 each.

The New Fire Prayer Meeting meets every Wednesday in Room 5 at 7:00 p.m. For more information, contact Betty Foll at 503-397-5894.

New Parishioner

Welcome to St. Frederic Parish! We extend our hands and hearts to Christian fellowship to you. If you are not registered, please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket or at the office. You may also register online at <http://stfredericchurch.org/contact-us>.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

I would like to serve in the parish _____

MARRIED COUPLES

"For the Spirit scrutinizes everything, even the depths of God." Let the Holy Spirit scrutinize and strengthen your marriage by participating in a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** on May 26th - 28th at Our Lady of Peace Retreat House in Beaverton Oregon. For more information call 503-853-2758 or apply on-line at www.rediscoverthespark.org at www.rediscoverthespark.org. Additional dates and locations are listed on-line.

Catholic Engaged Encounter

Catholic Engaged Encounter is an in-depth, private, personal, marriage preparation experience within the context of Catholic faith and values. Catholic Engaged Encounter is a weekend retreat away with other engaged couples with plenty of time alone together to dialogue honestly and intensively about their prospective lives together-- their strengths and weaknesses, desires, ambitions, goals, their attitudes about money, sex, children, family, their role in the church and society--in a face to face way. The next weekends are **April 28-30 and May 19-21**. To register contact our registration couple at: (503) 267-3605 or by e-mail at oregoncee@gmail.com.

Marriage Help

Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about or to register for the June 2017 program beginning with a weekend on **June 23 - 25**, call 503-225-9191 or visit helpourmarriage.org.

Faith on Fire Catholic Family Weekend

July 14—16, 2017
St. Mary's Catholic Church
Anacortes, WA 98223

Faith on Fire is a spiritually transformative celebration of Catholic fellowship, family and vocations. It includes dynamic speakers, healing services, free camping, Mass, Adoration, Confession, talks just for kids and teens, and much more. Meals are available as well. Register at www.faihtonfirenw.org or call 360-293-2101 for more information.

Daily readings can be found at

<http://stfredericchurch.org/daily-readings> or
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/index.cfm>

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION (April 29/30)

5:00 p.m. S Caniparoli, S Chiotti, R Proffitt
8:00 a.m. E Niece, P Monroe, A Ritenour
10:00 a.m. S Caniparoli, R Gonzalez, A Martinez,
M Tapia-Pena, R Sanchez

READERS

5:00 p.m. Marvel Brown
8:00 a.m. Patty Rismoen
10:00 a.m. Roberto Navarro / Rosa Gonzalez

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Miranda Proffitt
8:00 a.m. Michaela Presnell,
10:00 a.m. Eric Marsh, Jeremy Marsh

GREETERS/BELL RINGERS/ATTENDANCE

5:00 p.m. Christine Braud, Lauren Daehnke
8:00 a.m. Shirley Frigaard, Chet Tomlinson
10:00 a.m. Dave & Mary Douthwaite

COUNTERS

10:00 a.m. Tom & Carman McMahon

Happenings This Week

Monday, April 24

Divine Mercy class 7:00 p.m. Room 5

Tuesday, April 25

RCIA Class 7:00 p.m. in Room 5

Wednesday, April 26

Divine Mercy class 9:30 a.m. Room 5

New Fire Prayer Group 7:00 p.m. Room 5

Confirmation 7:00 p.m. at St. Pius in Portland

Saturday, April 29

First Reconciliation 9:30 a.m. Church

First Communion Practice 10:00 a.m. Church

Mass 5:00 p.m. (St. Vincent de Paul collection)

Sunday, April 30

Mass 8:00 a.m. (St. Vincent de Paul collection)

Mass 10:00 a.m. First Communion
(St. Vincent de Paul collection)